

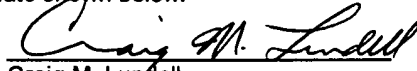
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In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006, Applicants submit the following comments and request reconsideration of the application.